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IN THE DESCRIPTION

Please amend the paragraph on page 9, lines 11 to 18, as follows:

Referring to the drawings, wherein like structures are provided with like reference designations, Figure 1A depicts a security article 10 according to one embodiment of the present invention. The security article 10 includes a light transmissive substrate 14 formed with an optical interference pattern 15 on an outer first surface thereof. ~~The interference pattern 15 is shown to have a depth substantially less than a thickness of the light transmissive substrate 14 which forms a light transmissive region separating the holographic image pattern and the color shifting optical coating.~~ A color shifting optical coating 16 is formed on an opposing second surface of substrate 14 and is discussed in further detail below. The combination of substrate 14 and color shifting optical coating 16 forming security article 10 provide a security feature that reduces the possibility of duplication, forgery and/or counterfeiting of an object having security article 10 thereon.